

# RUSS CLEAR CROWN LAND AND REACH MOUNTAINS

Capture Important Town in Foot Hills of Carpathian Range Held Fast By Field Marshal Von Linsingen in the North

Teutons Under Prince Make Definite and Important Gains in Desperate Fighting Against French on Front at Verdun

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

LONDON, June 25.—With the troops under General Planzer falling back rapidly in their endeavor to avoid being cut off, or flanked by the Russians, under General Brusiloff, and with the Germans hammering hard at the Bukovina line north of Pripet, a map of the Western line bears the semblance to a great worm, whose tail is twisting backward, and whose body remains stationary, or nearly so.

The reinforcements under Field Marshal von Linsingen, sent to the aid of the Austrians, appear to be doing the work for which they were dispatched, but unless the Russians in the Bukovina can be halted and driven back, the whole of the Teutonic line south of the Pripet marshes will become untenable. It will, in short, have been flanked, and at the mercy of the Russian masses, now pouring in through the gap between the end of the worm's tail and the frontier of Rumania.

Beach Carpathians  
The main body of the Russians in the Bukovina has now reached and captured the important town of Kutu, located in the foot hills of the Carpathian range, and some fifty or sixty miles west of Czernowitz, and south-west of Bouda.

It is now practically assured that the Slav attacks have been successful throughout the Bukovina, for the crown land has been almost cleared of the Austrians, despite their desperate resistance. The entire railroad system of the Austrian government, in the Bukovina is now under the control of the invaders.

North of the marshes, however, the Germans are constantly reinforcing their lines, and are holding the Russians from making any further advances in that theater of the fighting. The reports dealing with that sector, however, are contradictory, those from Berlin claiming considerable gains, while the Russians make the same assertions.

Russians Meet Defeat  
The Russians undoubtedly have met with reverses in Mesopotamia, Armenia and on the Persian frontier. The reports from Constantinople to that effect are not contradicted by Petrograd. In the American theater the Russians have been forced out of a mile-wide position on the Chokh river, and they have been cleared out of the positions in the Paiting pass, between Persia and the Tigris valley.

In France there has been more or less serious fighting on different parts of the line, but nothing of major importance, save at Verdun, where the Germans have scored some definite and important gains.

Capture Thiaumont Farm  
After repeated attacks against the French positions at Thiaumont farm, reported yesterday morning, the Crown Prince succeeded yesterday in driving the French out by the use of massed assaults and the concentration of huge numbers of heavy guns. He literally flanked his way through to the second line of trenches, and found himself in possession of the farm house, so hotly contested for.

While the fighting for Thiaumont was going on, the Germans also attacked in force the lines at Fort de Fleury, due south of Vaux, and south east of Thiaumont. It was in reality part of the same attack, and for a time was successful. The French however counter attacked with great violence, and ousted the invaders from the Fleury positions they had taken, leaving them victors there at night fall. Indeed with the exception of Thiaumont farm the Germans gained nothing by their day's fighting.

Battle on Both Banks  
As a whole the fighting on the Verdun front was a resumption of the former violence. On both sides of the Meuse the artillery engagements were heavy and continuous, and there was almost constant infantry attack and counter. More than six German divisions, or 140,000 men were engaged during the day.

ALLIES WILLING TO LET U. S. HAVE AMMUNITION

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Representatives of the Entente countries in the United States have signified their willingness to subordinate their military contracts in this country to the needs of the United States, should the present emergency on the Mexican border make it advisable for the United States to lay in large stores of munitions.

# WASHINGTON MAKES NO MOVE BUT IS AWAITING NEWS OF MASSACRE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

WASHINGTON, June 25.—Washington is waiting for official confirmation of the massacre of the Tenth Cavalry troops by the Greasers at Carrizal, before making any move. It is expected, however, that the administration is planning to preemptorily demand that Carranza repudiate the attack on the Americans by his subordinate, and release the American prisoners taken in the fighting.

Washington officials last night practically admitted that such a message is being prepared, and that failure of the de facto government to comply immediately with the demands, will be followed by the "gravest consequences."

Tension Reaches Breaking Point

Full information of the affair at Carrizal is lacking, but the scattered details that have come to light have brought the tension between this country and Mexico to the breaking point. The general attitude is one of waiting until the administration moves, in the confident expectation that war with Mexico is assured.

There was considerable talk in official and unofficial circles yesterday concerning a proposal that the representatives of the Central and South American countries act as mediators in an effort to avert war. Considerable pressure is being brought to bear from these countries against an open break, and despatches from Rome yesterday declared that the Pope has also thrown the weight of his influence against a strike, and has appealed to both Carranza and Wilson to avert war between the two countries.

Nothing Now To Mediate

The government, however, is taking little stock in this talk. Indeed, it was pointed out in official circles last night that the United States sees nothing in the situation.

# BUILDING TRADES PLEDGES SUPPORT TO LONGSHOREMEN

Resolution Promises Moral and Financial Assistance To Strikers On Coast

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 25.—The Building Trades Council of this city, yesterday adopted a resolution pledging the organization's "moral and financial support" to the striking longshoremen. This resolution was adopted after considerable discussion and debate.

The possibility of the strike extending to other trades and unions throughout the city and coast, appears to be growing. The labor council discussed the matter, and it was declared, may urge other union organizations to join the fight.

It is practically certain the labor party will appeal to Governor Johnson to force the strike breakers and the guards employed by the employers' association to disband. The demand may be sent early tomorrow and it is expected that the governor will act immediately.

The freight situation is little if any improved by the use of strike breakers, although the congestion is not complete. Several ships are tied up completely, however, including the Nippon Maru, of the T. K. K. line which is unable to sail for the Orient, as she has been unable to load.

The officers of the San Francisco and Portland Steamship Company have announced a suspension of the schedule for their sailings.

A faint ray of hope was reported yesterday afternoon, when officers of the teamsters' union announced that they have a plan for the settlement of the strike. The strike also is affecting the teamsters, and the officers of that union have been seeking a way for reaching an agreement for ending the trouble. A conference of those concerned is to be held to hear the proposal of the teamsters.

# ILL HEALTH FORCES FAMED TEUTON SAVANT TO QUIT

(By The Associated Press.)

BERLIN, June 25.—It is announced that Professor Dreyfuss, famous throughout the world as discoverer of the diphtheria serum, has resigned his position as professor at the University of Marburg and from the directorship of the Institute of Experimental Therapy, which was founded especially to give him an opportunity to carry on his scientific investigation. It was in this institute that he discovered and worked out several years ago, a serum against tetanus or lockjaw, which, during the present war, has enabled the German medical staff to combat that dreaded disease with complete success. He did much of his early work as the assistant of Prof. Robert Koch, the discoverer of the tubercle bacillus and also of sleeping sickness, and it was owing to his work at the Koch Institute that von Behring obtained twenty years ago his professorship at Marburg. His retirement is due to broken health.

# BOWEL COMPLAINT IN CHILDREN

During the summer months mothers should watch for any unnatural looseness of the child's bowels. When given prompt attention at that time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale at all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., agents for Hawaii.

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The closing of the schools on Friday was an event of vast importance to a large part of the population and a number of impromptu celebrations were held. Mrs. W. H. Rice Sr., delighted the pupils of the Kaula and Grammar school by sending a great freezer of ice cream for them to dispose of; it was served to them after the reports on the year's work had been made and a number of games and stories enjoyed.

Miss Lulu Weber entertained some of the Lulu ladies Monday afternoon of this week.

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# WAR PUTS END TO DREYFUSS TANGLE

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PARIS, June 25.—The war is expected to terminate all controversy over the Dreyfuss affair, which was still a subject of division among Frenchmen at the beginning of hostilities. The Royalist paper, Action Francaise, has dropped its daily reminder of what it declared to be irregularities committed by the Court of Appeals in favor of Dreyfuss, and papers of all shades of opinion do honor to those involved on both sides of the question who have distinguished themselves in the war.

Besides Pierre Dreyfuss, the commander's son, who was recently cited for heroic conduct at Douaumont, Emile Dreyfuss, his nephew, was killed in the battle of Champagne just after he had received the cross of the Legion of Honor. Commandant Dreyfuss himself is still commanding the artillery of a sector of the entrenched camp of Paris. Of the men identified with the movement against Dreyfuss, Col. Paty de Clam and his sons have all won the war cross and all of them have been promoted in the Legion of Honor. Commandant Loez has been promoted lieutenant-colonel, while Commandants Pauline Saint-Morel and Antoine have won the stars of general.

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# PUNAHOU STUDENTS RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Class of Nineteen-Sixteen Consists of Thirty-one Youths and Girls

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

Punahou launched another fleet of youthful faces on the waves of world-affair last night, when 300 interested spectators witnessed the entertaining commencement exercises of that seventy-five-year-old institution.

Thirty-one youths and maidens, their faces flushed with the glow of victory, stepped forward on the stage of Bishop Hall to accept a diploma from the hands of President Arthur F. Griffiths.

# List of the Graduates

The graduates were Tim Hung Au, George Herbert Cutter Bromley, Herbert Francis Cullen, Kenneth Pike Emory, Ruth Farrington, John Sweeney Gifford, Min Hin Li, Kwei Shoon Lung, Ernest Campbell Mott-Smith, Maude Lauai Neal, Katie Gibson Singlehurst, Mary Blossom Smith, Lorin Potter Thurston, Gladys Martina Traut, David Little Withington, Jr., Theodore Awaia, Florence Spring Davis, Marion Pauline de Fries, Gladys Standfield Halstead, Catherine Helen Johnson, Dora Lidgate, Emily Louise Lightfoot, Oy Cum Loo, Elizabeth Carlotta Rosenbaum, Ruth Lemon Seybolt, Emily Myrtle Taylor, Olive Marian Villiers, Dorothy Matilda Walker, Florence Albee White, Nuong Lan, Aileen Lilinoe Gibb.

# Occasion Made Memorable

Punahou exerted itself to make the occasion memorable. It was as if this particular class, this class which quite it on the seventy-fifth anniversary of its existence, stood for something immeasurably more than it could quite express. The invocation of Rev. J. Charles Villiers hinted at this, the night blooming cereus which girdled Punahou and illumined it like the torches of angels seemed prophetic of something of extraordinary import going on under the arches of Bishop Hall.

It was an artistic and appropriate close to the celebration which has covered three days since last Tuesday. In that celebration Punahou revealed her past—those seventy-five years which began before John Marshall's accident in the Sacramento—but last evening she showed the present, and presaged her future; a future which everyone understood without being told, saw and felt, intangibly but with the forcefulness and conviction of certainty.

# Program Full of Merit

After the invocation, Gladys Halstead, one of the graduates, opened the program with a piano solo, "Frolic"; Gladys Traut followed this with "Ode to Peace," which was a translation from the "Aeneid" of Virgil. This translation, by the way, was original and won for the young Latin student the enthusiastic applause of the audience, who recognized in her performance a close adherence to the original text and a sympathetic translation.

Ruth Farrington and John Gifford were next on the program. Mr. Gifford's success on a violin is quite well known to Honolulu music lovers already, and Miss Farrington has been recognized as a gifted pianist for some time. They did "Grieg's" "Allegretto Quasi Andantino," splendidly. It was well heard.

A life-for-life fight between a Hawaiian and a manning shark was told in a graphic little story by Kenneth Emory, following which Katie Singlehurst read an interesting paper on Greek dancing.

# Grecian Dance Is Given

This served as an introduction to a Greek dance in which Florence Davis, Catherine Johnson, Ruth Seybolt, Katie Singlehurst, Gladys Traut, and Dorothy Walker took graceful parts. The accompanist was Olive Villiers.

Following this number, David Withington, Jr., Maude Neal and Mary Smith presented Ernest D'Hervilly's French comedy, "Vent d'Ouest." It was a distinct success.

Emily Taylor played a pretty selection from Schott, which brought the program, with the exception of the presentation of the class gift and the distribution of diplomas, to a close.

# VICTIM OF DRUNKEN BRAWL PASSES OUT

John Malai, a Hawaiian, died yesterday morning at The Queen's Hospital, following injuries received June 1, in a drunken brawl when he was thrown over a balcony at the ground in a tenement dwelling at Adair and King streets, suffering a fractured skull. A coroner's inquest will be held over the body at twelve o'clock tomorrow.

According to a woman who claimed that she saw the fight, Henry Ben, who is now held at the police station, engaged in a quarrel with Malai. At the time of the accident Malai was taken to the emergency hospital in a drunken condition, and as soon as Emergency Surgeon Ayers was positive that the man was suffering from a fracture of the skull, he was transferred to The Queen's Hospital.

# THANK H. GOODING FIELD

The promotion committee at a recent meeting passed a vote of thanks and appreciation of the work for Hawaii which is being done on the mainland, among the same fishers by the secretary of the Hawaii Tuna Club, H. Gooding Field. The secretary of the committee, A. P. Taylor, was instructed to write to Mr. Field, conveying the committee's thanks.

# TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

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# CAPTAIN BOYD, WOUNDED TWICE, LEADS BRAVE MEN UNTIL SHOT FROM HORSE

After Death of Troop Commander With Bullet In Eye, During Charge Against Greasers At Carrizal, Lieutenant Adair Makes Second Rush, Takes Gun and Falls

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, June 25.—General Narantero, the Mexican commander at Tamaulipas, has issued circulars over his own signature to the people of Matamoros, declaring that the latest crossing of the United States forces into Mexico constituted an act of war, and has been so construed by the Mexican authorities. He announces, therefore, that a state of war with the United States exists, and warns all Americans to leave the country immediately under penalty of execution.

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

SAN ANTONIO, June 25.—General Pershing continued to send fragmentary reports of the massacre at Carrizal to General Funston's headquarters yesterday. As further details of the engagement come to hand, the conduct of the American troops and their officers shows in increasing bright colors. There was no panic, in spite of the fact that the men were ambushed, and shot down without warning, and for hours they battled for their lives, making the Greasers pay dearly for their triumph.

As the reports drifted in from the front in Mexico, the number of the American lost shifted, but it is believed now that all but twenty-one of Troop L, Tenth Cavalry—not Troop C, as first reported—under the command of Capt. Lewis Morey, have been accounted for.

# HEROIC STRUGGLE AGAINST TREMENDOUS ODDS

Fresh details of the fight that the Americans made came in, also, and it was a heroic struggle in the face of tremendous odds and without hope of relief or assistance.

When the treacherous machine gun began buzzing Capt. Charles E. Boyd, commanding Troop H, Tenth Cavalry, who had been conferring with General Gomez, ordered his men to fall back to a little irrigation ditch that was back of their position. They did so and entrenched themselves there.

Captain Morey was not so fortunate. His troop was flanked from the first, and he fell back until he found some shelter in an adobe house, one of the outbuildings, apparently of the Santo Domingo ranch.

# COLORED TROOPERS CHARGE THROUGH CARRIZAL

In this position, one troop in the irrigation ditch and the remnant of the other in the mud hovel, the fight went on. Finally Captain Boyd determined to charge, in the hope of scattering the Mexicans. Up from the ditch the colored troopers of Troop H rose and charged straight through the town of Carrizal, a straggling wide street, and half a dozen adobe houses. Captain Boyd remained mounted, although most of his men had been dismounted at the commencement of the fighting, say the vague reports from the front, and he rode at the head of his men. Twice he was shot—the first time through the shoulder, the second through the arm, but he kept his saddle and cheered on the fighters, behind him.

# BOYD KILLED, WITH BULLET THROUGH EYE

They followed him to where the nearest machine gun was pumping lead at them, and captured the gun. Hardly had he done so, however, when a bullet struck him in the eye, killing him instantly, and his men broke back to their ditch. Here First Lieut. Henry Adair took command of the troop and led it in a second charge against the Mexicans. This time the Greasers did not wait for the troopers. They had suffered too much in that first charge, and they broke and fled.

But the charge cost the Tenth dearly, for it scattered the men, and it is believed that Lieutenant Adair was himself either killed or desperately wounded.

# NOT AN OFFICER HAS RETURNED TO BASE

He has not been seen since, by any of the stragglers or survivors who have succeeded in reaching General Pershing's headquarters. So far not an officer has returned, and it is feared that all were killed or wounded, or taken prisoner by the greasers.

General Pershing reported earlier in the day, that eleven survivors of the fight have managed to reach Colona Dublan, and that the relief column he sent out as soon as he had word of the engagement has saved sixteen more.

# FORTY MEN OF BOYD'S TROOP MISSING

Seventeen are known to have been taken prisoners, so that of the eighty-four men under the command of Captain Boyd, forty are missing and are believed to have been killed. The stories of the "rescued" men shed but little light on the fate of the others.

Reports from Chihuahua yesterday continued to present a threatening picture of the situation in Northern Mexico. The American prisoners are confined in the penitentiary there, and no move has been made to send them to Juarez, preparatory to releasing them as demanded by the American government.

The announcement was made there that General Trevino has again threatened to attack the Americans south of the line.

# COLUMN OF AMERICANS IS ADVANCING

It is reported in Chihuahua that a column of United States troops in Mexico is advancing in the direction of Ojo Caliente, and Trevino has ordered an attack on this force. It is not known what force this can be.

The need for militia continues great, but so far none has arrived here although reports from the North indicate that many of the States are being mobilized as rapidly as possible. The first command to be mustered into the federal service is a company of Oregon militia.

# FOUR HUNDRED DROWNED WHEN SHIP HITS MINE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

PETROGRAD, June 24.—The Russian steamer Mercury struck a mine last night and sank within five minutes. Of the 530 aboard, the known loss is 400. A few survivors were picked up. The passengers included both soldiers and civilians, among the latter a number of women and children.

# NEEDLES SWEEP BY FIRE; SIX BODIES RECOVER